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Dear Sir:

In response to the Notification of Insufficient Fees (DO/EO/US) mailed April 4, 2006, enclosed is a check in the amount of \$740.00 made payable to "Director of the US Patent and Trademark Office."

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Notification of Insufficient Fees (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Copy of the International Application filed on 03/29/2005
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 03/29/2005
- Copy of IPE Report filed on 03/29/2005
- Oath or Declaration filed on 12/15/2005
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 03/29/2005
- Priority Documents filed on 03/29/2005

The following items MUST be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- · Additional claim fees of \$610 as a non-small entity, including any required multiple dependent claim fee, are required. Applicant must submit the additional claim fees or cancel the additional claims for which fees are due.
- To avoid abandonment, a surcharge (for late submission of filing fee, search fee, examination fee or oath or declaration) as set forth in 37 CFR 1.492(h) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is \$740 for a Large Entity:

- \$130 Surcharge.
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$ 610

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- \$250 for 5 total claims over 20.
- \$360 for multiple dependent claim surchare.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

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